

Contract
legalized.

continuing such contract under said ordinance, and all the rights and privileges acquired by said Climax Electric Company under and by virtue of said ordinance and contract be, and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be of the same force and effect as if the said ordinance had been passed in compliance with section 471 of the code of Iowa as amended by chapter 11 and chapter 26 of the acts of the Twenty-second General Assembly of the state of Iowa.

Publication
cause.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the "Iowa State Register" and "Des Moines Leader," newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 1st, 1892.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Des Moines Leader*, April 6, 1892.

W. M. McFARLAND, *Secretary of State*.

CHAPTER 141.

LEGALIZES AN ORDINANCE OF IOWA CITY GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

S. F. 380.

AN ACT to legalize an ordinance of Iowa City, granting to the Iowa City Gas Light Company authority to lay pipes and erect lights in the streets, alleys and public grounds of the city of Iowa City, and legalize all acts of the officers of said city and all acts of said company performed under and by virtue of said ordinance.

Ordinance No.
76 to gas light
company.

WHEREAS, On August 18th, 1890 the city council of Iowa City, Iowa, passed an ordinance granting permission to the Iowa City Gas Light Company (a corporation) and its assigns, to lay pipes in the streets, alleys and public grounds in said city for conveying gas and for supplying said city and its inhabitants with gas for lights and other purposes, said ordinance being entitled "An ordinance granting the Iowa City Gas Light Company certain privileges, etc." same being ordinance No. (76) of the revised ordinances of Iowa City, Iowa, of 1890, and

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approved by
electors.

WHEREAS, The said city of Iowa City did not approve, authorize or ratify the passage of said ordinance by vote of the electors of said city, either at a general or special election as is required by the statute of the state of Iowa, and

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gas company.

WHEREAS, Said city by virtue of said ordinance and under the provisions thereof, did enter into a contract with the said Iowa City Gas Light Company, to furnish light to said city to light its streets, alleys and public grounds thereof, under which contract the said company has been since the passage of

said ordinance, and now is, furnishing such light to said city under said existing contract, therefore;

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the said ordinance being entitled "an ordinance granting the Iowa City Gas Light Company certain privileges, etc.," passed by the city council of Iowa City, Iowa, on Aug. 18th, 1890, and published Aug 27th, 1890, be, and the same is hereby legalized and declared to be valid and in full force and of the same effect as if said ordinance had been passed and approved as by the statute of the state provided. And all of the acts of the city council of Iowa City in granting said franchise, and in passing said ordinance, and entering into said contracts with said Iowa City Gas Light Company, and in carrying out such contract, and in continuing such contract under said ordinance and all the rights and privileges acquired by said Iowa City Gas Light Company under and by virtue of said ordinance and contract, be, and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be of the same force and effect as if the said ordinance had been passed in compliance with section 471 of the code of Iowa as amended by chan. 11 and chap. 26, of the acts of the 22nd General Assembly of the state of Iowa.

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and contracts
fully legalized.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the "Iowa State Register" and "Des Moines Leader," newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa without expense to the state.

Publication
clause.

Approved April 1, 1892.

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W. M. MCFARLAND, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 142.

LEGALIZES ORDINANCES OF KNOXVILLE, ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY.

AN ACT legalizing the electric light plant of the city of Knoxville, Iowa, and the ordinance authorizing its establishment, and the contracts for lighting the streets of said city.

H. F. 209.

WHEREAS, The council of the city of Knoxville, Iowa, on February, 1887, adopted an ordinance authorizing and empowering the Knoxville Electric Light and Power Company, of Knoxville, Iowa, to establish their plant within the corporate limits of said city, and subsequently the said council

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company.